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In re Application of: **LEPPEK**

Serial No.: **NOT YET ASSIGNED**

Filed: **HEREWITH**

For: **'VIRTUAL' ENCRYPTION SCHEME COMBINING DIFFERENT  
ENCRYPTION OPERATORS INTO COMPOUND-ENCRYPTION  
MECHANISM**



X This application is a continuation of prior pending application Serial No. 09/289,213 filed on April 9, 1999, which is a continuation of Serial No. 08/691,838, filed August 1, 1996, now U.S. Patent No. 5,933,501, issued August 3, 1999.

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT in the above-identified application.

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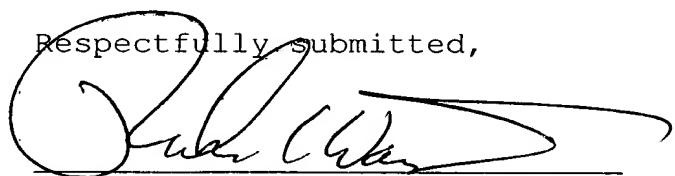
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Attached is Form PTO-1449 listing several references for consideration in the examination of the above-identified application. A copy of each reference is also enclosed. It is requested that these references be considered by the Examiner and officially made of record in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR §1.97 and Section 609 of the MPEP.

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